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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF ARIZONA

United States of America,

Plaintiff,

vs.

Julio Cesar Ruiz-Vizcaino,

Defendant.

No. CR-19-00338-JJT

**UNITED STATES' SENTENCING  
MEMORANDUM**

The United States recommends that Defendant be sentenced to six months' incarceration followed by three years of supervised release. In this case, Defendant knowingly concealed \$19,314 in his vehicle in the air intake valve compartment next to the vehicle's engine. Defendant expected to be paid \$500 for transporting the currency from Nevada to Mexico. Defendant hid the money in order to avoid law enforcement.

This sentence is also supported by the factors set forth under 18 U.S.C. §3553(a). In considering the nature and circumstances of the offense and the history and characteristics of Defendant, a sentence of six months' incarceration followed by three years of supervised release reflects the seriousness of the offense, promotes respect for the

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1 law, provides just punishment, and affords adequate deterrence.

2 Respectfully submitted this 30th day of August, 2019.

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9 **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

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